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APPLN. NO.: 10/718,074 CONFIRMATION NO.: 8649

APPLICANT: John Kamieniecki TC/ART UNIT: 2623

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TITLE: MONITORING SIGNAL QUALITY ON A CABLE NETWORK

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 07, 2008 concerning the above-identified application and is timely filed within the three month shortened statutory period for a response. This reply is provided in response to the Office Action in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.111. Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Office Action and to allow the claims to issue.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.